

## DESIGNS OF BAD MEN

How a Young Girl Escaped Being Entrapped

## BY THREE WICKED DRUMMERS

A German Immigrant on the Michigan Central Road Falls Into the Hands of the Police.

Saturday night at 10:30 Louis Miller, a stone mason residing on Stocking street, and Mary Straus were taken to police headquarters by Detective Smith, who said the couple had been turned over to him at the union depot by three traveling men who came in on the Michigan Central 10 o'clock train from Detroit. The young woman could not speak a word of English, was plainly dressed, pretty, and carried an immigrant's traveling bag. Her face was tear stained and streaks of coal dust moistened by tears radiated from her eyes. She carried a note upon which was written:

"THAT THIS GIRL GETS TO HER FATHER, JACOB STRAUS, IN GRAND RAPIDS ON FOURTH STREET."

The detective said the traveling men charged Miller with having tried to entice the young woman to accompany him up town, but that she was frightened and refused to go with him. Miller addressed her in the German language and had been extraordinarily attentive to her on the road from Hastings to this city, according to the story of the only tongue commercial travelers. These informants were quite anxious that Miller be placed under arrest on a serious charge and the couple were taken to headquarters for investigation. The fox traveling men, however, instead of accompanying the party to the police station as they agreed to do, told their story of Miller's actions, watched an opportunity and turned over the girl to a crowd of men.

## Two Sides to the Story.

At the station Miller gave an entirely different version of the affair. He said one of the traveling men had approached the young woman in the train and she not being able to understand his conversation she exhibited her card of directions. This man immediately took advantage of the situation and after a consultation with his companions he came over to her and told her she was going. She then said she had found a friend and asked that the man occupying the seat with her be removed. The traveling man saw that his designs had been foiled and he turned upon Miller with abusive language in which his companions joined. They told Miller to come into the station with them or they would have him arrested when they reached the city. Miller rescued the girl, however, and upon reaching here the above complaint was made against him. The police officers, after an interview with Miller, decided that he had saved the girl from falling into the hands of designing men and she was taken to the home of her father in the patrol wagon. She had crossed the ocean with a party of immigrants who stopped at New York and sent her on to this city unprotected.

## City News in Brief.

The schedule committee of the Michigan State House has arranged to meet in Saginaw May 2 to make up the schedule. Messrs. Culver of Bay City, Reynolds of Saginaw, and Mumby of this city comprise a committee to visit the cities interested and report progress.

Harold Yousema of Oakland avenue who wandered from his home last week and was found the next day trying to sweep out an alley was released from jail Friday morning, but he disappeared from home again Saturday and has not been seen since.

A petition will be sent to the common council tonight from merchants in Canal street asking that smoke consumers be ordered on the chimneys of the Street Railway company's power house and on all factory buildings along Mill street.

Workmen were busy all day yesterday planting timbers in the train shed on which to support a roof similar to the one which was wrecked last winter by an avalanche of snow from the main roof.

A H. Morehead's rig that was driven away Saturday night from the corner of Park and Monroe streets was found by a patrolman yesterday morning on East Bridge street near the brewery. The horse was hitched to a post.

Open street cars were put on for the first time yesterday to run from Canal and Lyon streets to the lake. They carry round signs on the car roofs at each end announcing their route.

For night artillery will hold its public inspection on Monday, April 24, instead of April 17, as before stated. The inspecting officer will be Col. C. H. Rose of the Second regiment.

The street cars were taxed heavily to handle the crowds, yesterday, in the closed cars. A few automobile cars were put in service to help out.

Secretary Ward of the Y. M. C. A. will talk to the congregational pastors at their weekly conference this morning.

The spring exhibit of the art association will open in the room in the McMillan block this evening.

Misses Gage and Bonadict's dancing classes will close this week.

The funeral of Herman A. Volders

## Deals with Nature.

In extracting fruit flavors, Dr. Price deals directly with nature and leaves the use of artificial extracts to those who have not the chemical knowledge to extract from the true fruit, and who care not what they sell so long as they can make money.

**DR. PRICE'S**  
FLAVORING  
EXTRACTS

are conceded to have no peers in the market.

will be held from the First Reformed church at 2:30 p. m. today.

Fifty portable houses for the world's fair are being made by the Grand Rapids Refrigerator company.

The brass company will build additions on its newly purchased lots on Court street.

A prayer meeting will be held at high noon today at the Waterloo Street mission.

## Personal.

Dr. Will L. Moore, formerly of this city, will go to the Sandwich islands as resident physician on a sugar plantation. Dr. Moore graduated from the high school with the class of '86 and is at present demonstrator of nervous diseases in the medical department of the university.

Detective Frank Kennedy, who was laid low last week from a relapse of pneumonia and not expected to recover, was reported yesterday to be a little better.

Mrs. Lotta W. Hunt, who has been in New York state for the past two weeks, has returned.

## LIQUOR DEALERS' MEETING.

Sakoon-keepers Reorganizing a State Brotherhood Branch.

A meeting of the wholesale and retail liquor dealers was called for last evening in the Brotherhood lodge rooms on Pearl street, to take action towards reorganizing a branch of the state association. A reporter for the Herald called there shortly after that hour, having been told by some of the saloon-keepers that there would be a hearing of some kind. He found a large number of men, some of whom had previously been in the saloon. Less than a dozen were present. Frank T. Warrell sat behind a table, which was a roll of legislative bills, one of which he was examining. The faces of these present plainly asked to what they were invited for what they evidently considered an untimely visit.

"Do I intrude?" asked the reporter.

"Yes, sir, you do," was the prompt reply of Mr. Warrell. "We don't allow anybody in here except members."

"Members of what?"

"Members of this association," was the reply.

"Mr. Warrell," said the reporter, would be welcome to your meetings," remarked the reporter.

"Well, Mr. Warrell, don't belong to the state association," was the reply.

"Is there a state association branch here?"

"Why, yes. That is, we haven't organized it yet, but we're going to."

Several prominent saloon-keepers were seen about town and they appeared to take but little interest in the meeting. Some of them said that they cared nothing to belong to the state organization, as they believed the local retail dealers' brotherhood is all the organization they want, although they claim that that is purely social in its nature and takes no hand in politics or legislation.

## MICHIGAN FAVORS.

What Will the Balance of the Faithful Secure.

"What will Michigan get?" That is a question that is often asked by the large delegation of Michigan candidates in the city and which has as yet found no satisfactory answer. There have been thus far only five Michigan presidential appointments requiring confirmation. Morse has been sent to Glasgow; Watson and Fife have been named for the customs service, and Rowley and Unger for postmasters. Only one of these appointments is outside the state. A number of positions for which Michigan men have been leading candidates have been filled by gentlemen from other states. There are, however, still enough Michigan candidates to supply any demand and still enough offices to go around. President Cleveland showed his warm interest in Michigan and Michigan men during his first administration, and President Harrison, although a little slow in getting at it, kept the state nearly as well to the front. Michigan men in Washington are confident that the state will continue to fare handsomely. During all the last month, while other states have been pressing vigorously for places and crowding the president incessantly, there has been no pressure from Michigan. And it is believed that this modesty will tell in favor of her democrats. Sunday Free Press.

## WAS A FINE EXCURSION.

St. Joseph and Benton Harbor People Visit the City.

The first excursion to Grand Rapids of the season came in at 11:30 yesterday morning over the Chicago & West Michigan road, bringing about 500 persons from Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, and other points along the road. The union depot was crowded for an hour before the arrival of the train with persons who wished to meet friends and with mashers, both male and female, looking for a chance to "catch on." The train pulled in on schedule time and the excursionists quickly dispersed themselves over the city. After walking the main streets for an hour or two and having procured dinner, many of them took the electric cars to Reed's lake and North park and John Hall park, while many spent the afternoon in looking about the city. Many were taken in tow by friends and relatives and were shown the town. It was a fine looking, well behaved crowd of people such as is always welcomed warmly by the citizens of Grand Rapids. At 7:30 the excursion left the city on its return trip.

## PLAYED THE MOTORMAN.

An Electric Motor Dissects a Man of Straw.

One night last week certain mischief-makers on North street, near Leonard street, placed a straw man on the electric car track late in the evening. It happened that Charles McGowan's motor was the one to catch the joke. Charles was letting his car speed along at its maximum rate as it was his last trip for the night, and he wished to make it as short as possible.

He did not see the form of the straw man until his car was almost upon it. He caught the brake handle and shut it down until the wheels slid over the rails, but the car did not stop until the wheels stood upon the man. Charles rushed back to the rear of the car to his conductor. "Oh, James, oh, kill a man!"

The conductor and Charles jumped down to see what was best to be done, when they discovered the true nature of the man. The street car men have been smoking at Charles's expense ever since.

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and the boys got together and made the room ring with their rendering of the spirited gospel songs. General Outchou will address the next meeting.

## Pound-Mohrhard.

A. A. Pound of Jacksonville, Florida, and Miss Adeline Mohrhard of this city were married last Wednesday in Atlanta, Georgia. The young couple met in Jacksonville, where Mrs. Mohrhard and her daughter spent the winter. The latter arrived home last week and Mr. Pound came on yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Pound have started on a wedding trip in the west. Mr. Pound is the representative of the Dun mercantile agency in Jacksonville, where the newly wedded couple will reside.

## Eunomus for Chairman.

"Supervisor Colson will not be elected chairman of the board of supervisors," said Supervisor Hagadone last night. "Nichol D. Eunomus is going to get there. Yes, I know certain members want to be on certain committees and think Mr. Colson would be more likely to appoint them, but it isn't going that way."

## His Team Was Stolen.

George Marshall of Byron Center reported to the police last night that his team had been stolen from Jimmie Row's place on South Division street. It was driven away about 10 o'clock and no trace of it was found last night. It was attached to a carriage and was traced into the city.

## Preached to Old Friends.

The Rev. Reuben H. Smith of Stocking street is at home on a short visit and preached yesterday at the First Presbyterian church. Mr. Smith has graduated with honor as a full fledged minister and will probably accept a call in southern Illinois.

## Died.

SMITH—Margaret Smith of Butterworth avenue, of pneumonia, aged 74 years. Funeral tomorrow morning at 9:30 from St. James church.

WHEELER—Yesterday at 12 m., at the residence of his parents, No. 13 Grandville avenue, Bert Wheeler, aged 29 years. Funeral at 2 p. m. Tuesday, from the residence.

## LEGALIZED MURDER.

The Fatal Ending of an Old Feud at Memphis.

Memphis, April 16.—An old feud between two families culminated in a desperate and bloody street duel in North Memphis late this afternoon. Some time ago William Wilson eloped with a handsome young woman named Ella Benson, sister of Forrest Benson. The brother opposed the match and recently has been harassing Wilson on having him arrested on a trivial trumped up charge. A few days ago Benson swore out a warrant charging Wilson with attempted murder. John Lewis, Edward Lawrence and J. A. Miller, all relatives of Benson, were deputized to serve the writ. When they met Wilson this afternoon, he refused to recognize the warrant, claiming the charges were untrue. A running fight ensued and when the smoke cleared away Wilson was found to be mortally wounded. His assailants were arrested.

## NO STRIKE FOR A WEEK.

The Carpenters at the World's Fair Bide Their Time.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Labor troubles will not disturb the progress of the world's fair for a week at least. This was decided at a meeting of the Carpenters Council this afternoon. The trouble with the world's fair directors was discussed at length. President Cogswell of the council was in favor of holding a secret meeting of all the union carpenters in the city and leave to them the decision of what should be done in the matter. This idea was received by the delegates with favor and was adopted. President Cogswell said tonight that the carpenters did not desire to jeopardize the interests of the world's fair. "All we want," said he, "is that the carpenters company shall sign our agreement as the Carpenters' and Builders' association have done."

## WAITING FOR NEWALL.

The Lake Shore Engineers' Troubles Rest in His Hands.

TOLDO, Ohio, April 16.—A meeting of the Brotherhood of Engineers was held tonight, at which the committee which was sent to Cleveland to ask for the reinstatement of the Lake Shore Engineers who struck recently, are reported. It is said that nothing definite would be known until President John Newell had considered the facts and in his hands the whole matter rested, except that he would probably discuss the matter with the Lake Shore directors. Mr. Newell is now at home and a decision is not expected for several days, at least. The brotherhood have denounced the reports which have been sent broadcast to the effect that the Lake Shore had refused to take the men back.

## INDIAN OUTRAGES.

Yaqui Braves Kill Three Mexicans and Run Off Stock.

HERMOSILLO, Mexico, April 16.—A courier has just arrived here from San Javier, a small village situated south-west of here in the Sierra Madre mountains, bringing intelligence of outrages committed by the Yaqui Indians, who recently attacked the hacienda of a Spaniard named Pedro Ramirez in the valley of the Yaqui river west of San Javier, and killed three servants who attempted to defend the place. The Indians then burned the granaries at the hacienda and drove off several hundred head of stock into the mountains. Col. Prudenio Gomez with a large force of troops is now in the Yaqui country, and will endeavor to subdue the warring braves.

## A RICE OF GLASS SHATTERED.

A Boiler Explosion Plays Havoc With a Greenhouse.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Lakeview was shaken by a violent explosion at 6 o'clock this afternoon. The boiler connected with Albert Fuchs's greenhouse at Byron and Evanson avenues burst, tearing the boilerhouse to pieces, shattering an acre or more of glass roofing and seriously injuring the fireman, Reinhold Nebelmeier. The explosion was caused by a defect in the boiler. Mr. Fuchs estimates his loss by the explosion and consequent exposure of plants at \$20,000.

## KILLED BY A FROGE.

Cotton, Corn and Fruit Killed by the Southern States.

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hardships and expense to the planters and farmers. The cotton crop in many sections will have to be replanted.

## Many Males Burned.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 16.—The city stables were destroyed by fire this morning and 140 males perished in the flames. Loss, \$30,000; insurance, \$10,000.

## NEW SCHEME FOR IRELAND.

Ulster Has An Opportunity to Choose Her Parliament.

LONDON, April 16.—A story has been current for two or three days that several members of the cabinet favor a plan by which a choice between government by a Dublin parliament and government by the British parliament shall be granted to Ulster. A provision to this effect having been approved by the Irish leaders would be inserted in the home rule bill. The Standard says of the plan the majority of the Ulster members would oppose it because the protestant minority elsewhere in Ireland would be left to the mercy of the Irish parliament.

## BALK LANE BILLIARDS.

Daly and Spinks Will Begin Their Match Today.

New York, April 16.—The billiard match between Maurice Daly and William Spinks, the California champion, will begin tomorrow at Daly's parlors and will last five nights. Daly will have to pay Spinks \$100 if the latter scores 2,000 points before Daly can make 2,500 at 14-inch balk line carom. The game will be played in blocks of 250 to 300 points every afternoon and evening. Daly undertaking to score 250 to Spinks' 300 at each session.

## Yesterday's Ball Games.

MOBILE, Ala., April 16.—Mobile, 5; Nashville, 1.

CINCINNATI, April 16.—Cincinnati and Baltimore played an exhibition game here today. The home team won by a series of batting. Score: Cincinnati, 7; Baltimore, 5.

## Fall of Peril.

Are those disorders which, beginning with an apparently trivial incapacity of the kidneys or bladder, terminates in Bright's disease, diabetes and cystitis. The first two not only interrupt the functions of the organs, but destroy their structure with as much certainty as tubercular consumption does that of the lungs. Bitter's Stomach Bitters is an excellent diuretic, promoting the activity of the organs without over-exercising them, thus averting the deadly malady in which their inaction is so prone to culminate. The removal from the blood of impurities which the kidneys should, but do not, when inactive, secrete, is another beneficial effect of this incomparable medicated stimulant and purgative. The Bitters is, in all cases, too, a fine restorative of vigor and aid to digestion, remedies malarial disease and banishes liver complaint and constipation.

ANYTHING you want in fish, oysters, game, etc., will be found at Dettenthaler's.

## FINE MUSICAL SELECTIONS

will be a feature at Heyman & Company's opening in their new block Tuesday afternoon and evening. Opening from 2 to 5 o'clock and from 7 to 9 o'clock in the evening.

## THOSE THAT HAVE

tried Burnham's Clam Bouillon think it is great. For sale at Dettenthaler's.

## HEYMAN &amp; COMPANY'S

Grand opening occurs Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock and 7 to 9 in the evening, in their new block, one door south of their old premises.

## Saved His Life

Scrofula—Impure Vaccination—Beyond Hope

But Hood's Sarsaparilla Effected a Perfect Cure

Joseph Harper

Trenton, N. J.

"I was as sure that Hood's Sarsaparilla saved my son Joseph's life as that the sun shines. Five years ago on board ship our three boys were vaccinated. Joseph had a very sore arm so he had at one time that we were afraid it would have to be taken off. At length it seemed to get well, but about two months after, he began to complain of soreness and pain in the vaccinated arm. He had occasionally shown some signs of scrofula, but nothing serious. His arm, however, grew worse and more and more swollen and covered with sores. The inflammation and sores also spread all over his body, and he was a mass of corruption.

Pitiable to behold, a misery to himself and almost breaking our hearts with anguish over his dreadful condition. Many a time did I wish he was dead and out of his misery.

"The eruption was especially severe back of his ears and over his head and the lower part of his face. We had to cut off all his hair we could, as it was impossible to comb through the mass of hard crust and matter. Physicians did him no good, and three specialists at the Eye and Ear Hospital said:

Nothing Could be Done.

They said it was a blood disease caused by impure vaccination. One night I happened to be reading in a paper about Hood's Sarsaparilla, and decided to try it.

"While taking the first bottle, Joseph did not grow any worse, on the second, we noticed that he was improving, and, slowly but surely, the medicine drove away the disease and won a complete victory. The sores and scabs began to fall off, the sores gradually healed up, and

new, smooth and healthy skin burst in place of the disease and corruption. Of course it took time, but improvement was clearly visible at the end of the year the disease had entirely disappeared, and Joseph stood a strong and healthy boy. He is at school and progressing rapidly in his studies.

We and his neighbors regard his cure as a perfect miracle." JAMES HARRIS, resident, No. 214 Irving Street, Trenton, N. J.

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When we announce a special sale you may be sure it will be special. This week it's on Spring Overcoats.



300 up-to-date Spring Garments—nobby and stylish—made from all-wool Cheviots, Meltons, Worsted and Twills—we sold 'em for \$10, \$12 and \$14. Your pick of these excellent overcoats this week, and only this week, for

\$7.75.

If you need a Spring Overgarment—and had intended to pay \$10 to \$15 for it—come and see them—there's money in it.

THE GIANT

Canal and Lyon.

WHERE are you getting your dinner now? You are making a great mistake by not trying Fysh's, 15 Canal street. Our cooking is up on top. Come and try it for yourself.

We claim our Coffee is the best in the city; at least that is the verdict of our customers.

ONE word as to our Order Cooking—it is the best to be had

LARGE variety of Bread, Cakes and Fine Confectionery, made daily. 15 Canal street, near Sweet's hotel.

TRY OLD LEE COAL—NONE BETTER.

S. P. Bennett Fuel & Ice COMPANY.

IS OFTEN VERY DESIRABLE. WE GUARANTEE IT!

RAMBLERS!

WITH COPPER RIMS AND G. AND I. TIRES